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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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*(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))*

Attorney Docket No 740612-167

First Inventor | Bart Gerard BOUCHERIE  
Title | FOOL FOR INJECTION MOLDING OF  
        | TOOTHBRUSHES

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO SB 17) <i>(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)</i>	7. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)	
2. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.	8. Nucleotide and or Amino Acid Sequence Submission <i>(if applicable, all necessary)</i>	
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification [Total Pages 7] <i>(preferred arrangement set forth below)</i>	a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF)	
- Descriptive title of the invention	b. Specification Sequence Listing on:	
- Cross Reference to Related Applications	i. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies; or	
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D	ii. <input type="checkbox"/> paper	
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix	c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statements verifying identity of above copies	
- Background of the Invention	<b>ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS</b>	
- Brief Summary of the Invention	9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))	
- Brief Description of the Drawings <i>(if filed)</i>	10. <input type="checkbox"/> 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney
- Detailed Description	11. <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document <i>(if applicable)</i>	
- Claim(s)	12. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure	<input type="checkbox"/> Copies of Citations
- Abstract of the Disclosure	13. <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment	
4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <i>(35 U.S.C. 113)</i> [Total Sheets 2]	14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) <i>(Should be specifically itemized)</i>	
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Sheets 2]	15. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of German Priority Document No. 200 07 304.4 Filed: April 20, 2000 Priority Claimed Yes [X] No [ ] <i>(if foreign priority is claimed)</i>	
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy)	16. <input type="checkbox"/> Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 <i>(b)(2)(B)(i)</i> . Applicant must attach form PTO SB	
b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) <i>(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)</i>		
i. <input type="checkbox"/> <u>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</u> Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)		
6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76		

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

10.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  Power of  
*(when there is an assignee)* Attorney

11.  English Translation Document *(if applicable)*

12.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS  
Citations

13.  Preliminary Amendment

14.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
*(Should be specifically itemized)*

15.  Certified Copy of German Priority Document  
No. 200 07 304.4 Filed: April 20, 2000  
Priority Claimed Yes  No   
*(if foreign priority is claimed)*

16.  Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122  
(b)(2)(B)(1). Applicant must attach form PTO-SB-35  
or its equivalent.

17.  Other:

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Continuation     Divisional     Continuation-in-part (CIP)    of prior Application Serial No.: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

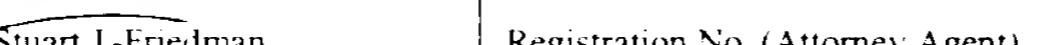
Prior application information: Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Group Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

**For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only:** The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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## Complete if Known

Application Number	
Filing Date	April 19, 2001
First Named Inventor	
Examiner Name	
Group Art Unit	
Attorney Docket No	740612-167

## METHOD OF PAYMENT

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

1.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number 19-2380

Deposit Account Name NIXON PEABODY LLP

Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2.  Payment Enclosed:

Check  Credit Card  Money Order  Other

## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	710	201	355	Utility filing fee	\$710
106	320	206	160	Design filing fee	
107	490	207	245	Plant filing fee	
108	710	208	355	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) \$710.00

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
3	1		-20**	0	X

Large Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) \$

\*\* or number previously paid, if greater. For Reissues, see above

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English transaction	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126	240	Submission of information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$40.00
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	249	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) _____					

\* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) \$40.00

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